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### Enough Money For Welfare

**REDUCTION ON PROPERTY TAX**

For the first time in two years the State of Michigan can meet its welfare expenses, according to the Detroit Times. They go on to state that this is due to the Sales Tax.

The Federal Government will give Michigan this year for welfare purposes the sum of twelve million dollars, provided that the State of Michigan matches that amount with an additional twelve million dollars. The Sales Tax will provide Michigan twelve million dollars. Therefore, the State Welfare Commission will have twenty-four million dollars to help relieve those who are in need during the coming winter.

There will be a reduction of forty to fifty million dollars in your State Property Tax this year, according to a statement made by

### Tornado Is Most Frequent Disaster Causes Heavy Loss of Lives

What type of disaster occurs most frequently in the United States? This question is answered from the relief annals of the American Red Cross, which show over a period of years that the tornado, or cyclone as it is called in some sections, is the most frequent and claims a heavy toll of life. It swoops almost without warning and in the terrific whirlpool of its fierce winds it destroys all in its path.

The Red Cross gave relief in 44 tornadoes in eighteen states last year. The tornadoes killed 326 persons, injured 2,735 and the Red Cross gave aid to 21,735 who were homeless, injured or otherwise victims of the storms.

The State Tax Commission. Due to the 15-Minute Limitation and due to money derived from the Sales Tax, this has been made possible for the home-owners.

State Board of Tax Administration, James E. Morgan, Managing Director.

### Murderer Despondent Over Crime

**SUICIDE VICTIM MAKES NOOSE FROM BED SHEET; SHERIFF FINDS BODY**

Roscommon—Choosing death in preference to the prospect of spending the rest of his life in a prison cell, Ernest Hall, 68-year-old killer, hanged himself Saturday afternoon in his cell in the Roscommon county jail.

Hall was in jail awaiting trial for the murder of Mrs. Drift Golinck, 35, employee of the Roscommon Hotel owned by Mrs. Hall and from which Hall was evicted, the incident which led to the murder.

The suicide's body was found by Sheriff Francis T. Murphy when he took the night meal to Hall's cell.

His feet barely off the floor of the cell, Hall's body was found hanging from a rope made of a bed sheet.

According to Sheriff Murphy, Hall had appeared cheerful throughout the day until late in the afternoon, when relatives, who had come here to visit him, left the jail.

Hall was being held in jail awaiting trial at the January term of the circuit court, following his examination Thursday on the murder charge.

Appearing before Justice J. Bert Kieley of Roscommon, Hall waived examination and expressed regret that he had killed Mrs. Golinck in a fit of rage over the eviction.

Former Night Clerk.

Hall has been a long-time resident of Roscommon, at one time being night clerk of the hotel which his wife owns.

The Thursday eviction followed a long series of domestic quarrels during which, according to witnesses, Mrs. Hall had threatened often to have her husband evicted from the hotel.

Returning to the hotel after a brief absence, Hall found his personal possessions on the sidewalk in front of the building.

In a fit of anger he entered the hotel through the kitchen door and engaged Mrs. Golinck, the first person he confronted, in a heated argument.

Threatening that "If I go, you've got to go too," Hall shot Mrs. Golinck and fired at Mrs. Sofia Hines, another hotel employee who was in the kitchen. The shot aimed at Mrs. Hines went wild, however.

Killer Was Despondent.

Hearing the shooting, Mrs. Hall and Horace Palling, caretaker of the Higgins lake state park, and a guest of the hotel, rushed to the kitchen and found Hall, seemingly dazed, standing over the body.

Falling disarmed Hall and said that Hall did not offer to protect and readily agreed to accompany Palling to the county jail even before the sheriff, who had been summoned by Mrs. Hall, could arrive. Hall and Palling met Sheriff Murphy about half way between the hotel and the county jail.

Over and over again during his stay in the jail, Hall murmured that he didn't mean to kill Mrs. Golinck, declared Sheriff Murphy. "I was mad and didn't realize what I was doing. I should never have done it," was Hall's repeated comment, according to Murphy, who said that the murder seemed to prey upon the man's mind.

"He seemed to be particularly despondent of evening trial," said Sheriff Murphy.

Murphy further said that Hall appeared depressed because none of his Roscommon friends had come to the jail to see him.

Hall's body was taken to the Smerol funeral parlors at West Branch.



### NAVY DAY OCT. 27

In times of world-wide perplexity and disturbance such as these, it seems particularly appropriate and pertinent that the American people should exhibit a deep interest in their navy and its possible effectiveness for the defense of our land and the upholding of our national dignity.

October 27, anniversary of the birth of the American Navy, with a sincere recommendation that everyone participate in its observance. On that day the thoughts of patriotic and loyal Americans will be directed toward a consideration not only of the glorious deeds of our navy in wartime and peace, its historic records, its strength and effectiveness, but of its present and future needs if we are to maintain our respect in the eyes of other nations.

Throughout the land, observance of the day will be proclaimed. The flag will be displayed, appropriate programs will be presented in the schools and before club organizations, and other things will be done under the sponsorship of Veterans' and other patriotic associations for the purpose of honoring our navy and its men.

Incidentally, October 27 also will be the anniversary of the birth of Theodore Roosevelt, staunch friend and builder of the American navy, and a proponent of pre-eminence on sea as the first line of national defense.

### Insulate for Economy

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### New Water Works System

(As Proposed)

This article is published for the purpose of advising the qualified electors of the Village of Grayling of the plans, nature and extent of the proposed municipal Water Works System to be decided upon by the Special Election of October 30, 1933.

In 1930 a plan and report on a proposed new water supply system was prepared by a firm of engineers. This plan and report, the result of a very complete survey, dealing with the problems of source, supply and distribution of an adequate water system for ALL PURPOSES, is on file at the office of the Village Clerk. All information contained in this report, such as recommendation of materials and estimate of cost, is the opinion of experienced engineers.

#### Type of Plant

After an examination of the local situation, we are of the opinion that the best manner of providing a satisfactory water supply for drinking as well as all municipal and industrial purposes would be the construction of two branch wells, about 50 feet deep at the Village Park. We are of the opinion, after careful study and consultation with the engineers, that no difficulty would be met in obtaining a sufficient quantity of water.

#### The Pumping Equipment

It is proposed to install deep well turbine pumps as they are found to operate efficiently with the tubular type of well and the unit would cost much less than a larger well with centrifugal pump.

#### Elevated Tank

The engineers recommend an elevated storage tank with a capacity of 100,000 gallons, to be located at the Village Park where it will best serve the business and residential parts of the Village. Such a storage tank will save much in the operating cost of the system.

#### Distribution System

In planning the distribution system, both the north and south sides of the river have been considered, and provisions made whereby both sections would receive an adequate supply of water.

It has been thought best to reconstruct the main on US-47 from the river to Michigan Avenue, inasmuch as this stretch of pipe is the main feeder for all that part of the Village west of the river. The wood stave pipe used here is not as reliable as cast iron pipe would be.

When approval of plans is sought from the State Department of Health, it may require a change in size of pipe to 6 inch. Otherwise, we are planning to use considerable 4-inch pipe in extensions, since much of the pipe already in use is of this size.

Service meters and curb shut offs would be provided. However, there is little doubt but that the cost to the user of a really adequate water supply will at least be no more than the present supply.

Two eight-inch wells are provided in our plan rather than one 12 inch so that the extra unit may be used as an emergency or stand-by unit, in case of extreme need.

#### Cost

The engineers have estimated the total cost of the system to be about \$48,929.50. However, thirty per cent of the cost of labor and material may be obtained as a grant from the government, leaving an actual cost to the Village of about \$37,300.00. We have placed this amount high enough to provide for overhead expenses, surety bonds, etc., incident to such a project. However, it is quite possible the actual amount will fall below our figures.

#### Conclusion

The above facts have been set before you only after careful consideration and represent all the information we have been able to obtain. Such an opportunity may not come our way again whereby we may secure a pure, wholesome water supply, and adequate fire protection with an outright grant of thirty per cent of the cost of material and labor from the Federal Government.

THE VILLAGE COUNCIL

### Open Letters

Grayling, Michigan  
October 23, 1933

Crawford Avalanche,  
Grayling, Michigan:  
Dear Sir:

I do not want anyone in Crawford County to think that I want to try to block anything that will help good old Crawford County.

I was asked to give my opinion as to a road running east of Feldhausen school on the town line between 27-1 and 28-1 west. I made a sketch of this on town line and gave it to Mr. Frank Barnett, one of our road commissioners, and told him I didn't think there could be a road built on that line because of so much swamp and marsh, but I see by the Avalanche my advice has been void, by stating that there are no bad swamps, except in the first mile which is already taken over by the road commissioners.

I am positive in saying the man that made the statement does not know what he is talking about for the town line in section 3 and 4, town 26-1 west has over a mile of swamp and on section 4 there is a small lake surrounded with one-half section of swamp and on town line on section 2 there is more swamp for a distance of about a half mile.

I have always tried to help our country. I told our county treasurer, Mr. Ferguson, that a road down in that part would help the value of river property, but I also would have to go south of town line a mile or more along the river because of swamps. The road as I take it, is to intersect that north of McMaster's bridge. That road is not a public road and there are four gates to open if you are wishing to go east to Redheads, at the mouth of the North Branch. To cross bridge at McMaster's south, a trail to Luemere is so crooked to avoid hills and swamps you nearly meet yourself coming back.

I think our commissioner is using good judgment in not talking this matter up at once. It looks good from the road, BUT consider our idle men in the country that need work. Why call on the C.C.C. when the natives of the country need the work and need it badly? (Why not favor them?) The C.C.C. could improve their time to better advantage and help the country more if they would spend their time cutting and making fire lines through the country. Our last fire fifteen miles long with no way to stop it should tell us all that.

The Editor:

It is not my intention to ridicule anyone in this reading.

Very sincerely yours,  
J. E. Kallioff.

Grayling, Michigan,  
Oct. 24, 1933

Mr. O. P. Schumann, Editor,  
Crawford Avalanche,  
Grayling, Michigan.

Dear Mr. Schumann:

I noticed with pleasure that our Chamber of Commerce at the last meeting went on record as being in favor of the opening up of the shorter Grayling-Mio Road. This road will be of great benefit to Grayling. It will make a saving of 20 miles from the road we now travel. A very large territory east of us has no hospital nor a real good show any closer than Alpena. Some of the finest Assable river property will be made more accessible and it would provide a very badly needed new fire-line through the State Forest.

If it is impossible to run this road right on the Township line the whole distance it would not matter. It has only one real bad swamp about 4 1/2 miles east of Feldhausen schoolhouse and according to the Soil Map, it is all Greenwood Peak. The same post is crossed by M-76 just as it leaves Lake Margrethe and did not give any trouble there. By going north about half a mile it can be almost entirely avoided.

The State surveyors will be the best judges of the best route to follow but we all know that the straight route is the shortest and cheapest in the long run.

We all know what the Kalamazoo road has done to bring more trade to Grayling. The East road will help more because of the large territory not served by any town as large or larger than Grayling. The County Road Commissioners in years past have worked

### Grayling-Eldorado Highway Approved

Lansing, Oct. 24.—Approval of the Michigan federal grant road program of \$12,807,000 has been given by the Federal Bureau of Public Roads, it was announced today by State Highway Commissioner Murray D. Van Wagner.

An estimated \$68,000 project in Crawford County, 18 miles of grade widening and re-surfacing, the type to be determined later, from Grayling east and southeast to Eldorado, was included on the latest list of federal approvals, announced today.

The Highway Department's road program includes at least one project in each of the state's 83 counties and was carefully worked out to meet local highway needs and to help the local employment situation, said Mr. Van Wagner.

Projects totaling \$2,847,000 were included in the final list approved by the Federal Bureau.

The entire Michigan grant of \$12,786,000 under the National Recovery Act is now allocated with the exception of approximately \$425,000 which is held back as a safety factor for possible under-estimates in cost. It is probable that later in the program additional projects will be approved, if it is found that Michigan's entire road program recommended by the State Highway Department and all funds except the \$425,000 safety factor are allocated to projects. Actual construction can start, the Highway Department states, as soon as approval is given to plans and specifications. These must be prepared here and receive federal approval before contracts are awarded.

Someone has said that a safe place to stop when on an automobile tour, is at the railroad crossing.

### CHURCH NOTES

MICHELSON MEMORIAL  
H. J. Salmon, Pastor.

Church School—10:00 A. M.  
Morning Worship—11:00 A. M.  
Evening Service—7:00 P. M.  
Next Tuesday evening at 7:30 there will be a Halloween party held at the church under the direction of the Adult Bible class. This is open to any interested in the church. We are only asking that each bring sandwiches or doughnuts. Come and join in this social evening together.

hard for a good route crossing the state. More than half is now built. Why not work together for the remaining gap of less than 20 miles?

Yours very truly,  
Chris W. Olsen.

### Rialto Theatre

#### PROGRAM

Saturday, Oct. 28, (only)  
Fay Way, Royce, Armstrong  
In the Strangest Story ever told

#### "KING KONG"

Comedy Novelty  
Sunday and Monday, Oct. 29-30  
Edw. G. Robinson and Kay Francis

#### "I LOVED A WOMAN"

Novelty News  
Tuesday and Wednesday,  
Oct. 31-Nov. 1  
Loretta Young and Lyle Talbot

#### "SHE HAD TO SAY YES"

Comedy Novelty  
Thursday and Friday, Nov. 2-3  
Richard Dix and Doris Kenyon

#### "NO MARRIAGE TIES"

Novelty Cartoon News

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1933

EFFORT has been made to get a cross view of opinions regarding the proposed bond issue for construction of a new waterworks system for the Village, special election for which will be held next Monday. In talking with some of our most dependable business men we find that their views are quite conflicting. Some feel that the proposition should be passed; others feel that it should not. And others are contented to leave it as it is now.

There, Mr. Voter, you have it. If you can get anything out of it to guide you in your voting, O. K. Again it is rightly claimed, if the project carries in the election it will mean there will be a lot of work next summer. About \$39,000 has been approved for use in Crawford County, all of which can be used for labor only. Will this be lost to us forever if we don't grab it off at this time? And if it does pass the election the property owners of Grayling must carry the responsibility of repaying for the cost of all materials and supplies used on the job, which the estimate says, will amount to about \$37,300. Plans for the proposed new system carry water lines to some of the remote points within the Village including the South Side district. This would call for additional sewage lines which would have to be built by taxpayers. And just as soon as the waterworks system could be finished, the Conservation department may come along and tell us to provide a sewage

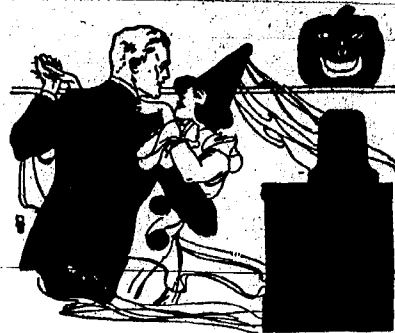
**TWENTY-FIVE CENTS WORTH**

Monday evening the final meeting for the year, of the Grayling Civic League, was held at the Hanson Hardware club rooms. Two officers and three members were present.

The secretary reported a membership of 131, which is very good for the first year. A balance of \$36.50 is on hand for a start next year, which is encouraging. But where are the interest and support that should back an organization of this kind. Out of the 131 members it is estimated that probably more than 100 never attended a meeting during the year. In other words they were 25-cents-worth members; they gave their 25 cents and then forgot they had any duty along with it. The appearance and general atmosphere of a town depicts the character of its people. A non-resident gentleman was riding around Grayling this last summer and was heard to remark, "What this town needs is a live Civic League." One of the "Let-George-do-it" attitudes was exemplified in the 3 foot high ragweed that grew along the business section of the town when tourists were seeking a refuge from hay fever in these northern towns. Such laxness reflects on its citizens.

Next spring the League will be asking for renewed memberships and support again. Let's give our best efforts by attending the meetings, making suggestions and then following them up with a zeal that will put these projects across. The object of the Civic League is to make Grayling the cleanest and finest living town in the north. Let's get behind it.

disposal plant and to stop emptying our sewage into the AuSable river. That may have to be done soon regardless of the other questions. In the construction of a new waterworks system, a lot of employment will be afforded. These are features that should be considered before voting next Monday. The burden to the property owner, and the needs of the man who will be glad to have a job, and the importance of the project for the civic good of the people of Grayling in general, all must be considered. Mr. Voter, think it over for yourself. You do the voting and you must bear the responsibility.

**Hallowe'en Dance**

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**Lyric Dance Hall**

on west side of Higgins Lake

Gents 35c

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**Mae West Era To Govern Floral Styles**

(From Florists' Telegraph Delivery Assn. Detroit, Michigan)

Along with the extravagant elegance of the Mae West era which is just getting a fashion start these days, we are told that the flower bouquets for this winter's styles will be correspondingly elaborate.

The meeting on Thursday and Friday, October 26th and 27th will be presided over by Mr. L. W. Harrison of Cheboygan, Cheboygan leader of the Florists' Telegraph Delivery Association, who will demonstrate to the group the new mode for 1933-34 floral arrangements. Not only are the flowers for milady's wear profusely decorated with feathers and bits of plumes and luxuriant bows of ribbon, but even table flowers have taken on a more fulsome appearance.

No longer is it smart to place three or four flowers artistically in a black and silver vase. This winter's up-to-date hostess will use a quantity of flowers of the warm shades in a large and capacious bowl that will harmonize with the table color scheme, and fill the center of the table as well. Instead of the customary one or two candles, there will be a return to the elaborate candelabra which supports anywhere from three to five candles each. Frequently these candles are not the same color, but match the flowers and give added life to the arrangements.

Mr. Paul Krone of the Floriculture Department of Michigan State College, East Lansing, will speak on the florists' code and marketing agreement, while Don Johnston of Canton, Ohio, representative of Michigan and Ohio florists on the national board will speak to the meeting on current matters of interest of the industry.

**ALL CARPENTERS REQUESTED TO REGISTER**

All carpenters in Crawford County are requested to register at the temporary Re-Employment office at the Grayling Hardware at once, so as to be enrolled for work on public works.

Dr. C. G. Clippert, Chm'n.  
Daisy Barnett, Sec'y.**Hunters Warned To Watch For CCC Men**

As an emergency safety measure, Director George R. Hogarth of the Conservation asks Michigan hunters to use extreme caution when hunting in the vicinity of any of the state's 45 Emergency Conservation Camps and any area where C.C.C. men are at work.

More than 8,000 young men are working daily on scores of projects through the hunting area of the state, Director Hogarth said, and warned hunters against approaching within rifle range of any of these projects.

All Conservation officers have been notified to warn hunters in their localities of the proximity of the camps and locations of projects.

While as a general rule, workers are engaged in state forests, game refuges, state parks and other state projects numerous groups are employed on fire lines and along lakes and streams outside of projects and where they are in serious danger from nearby hunters, it was said.

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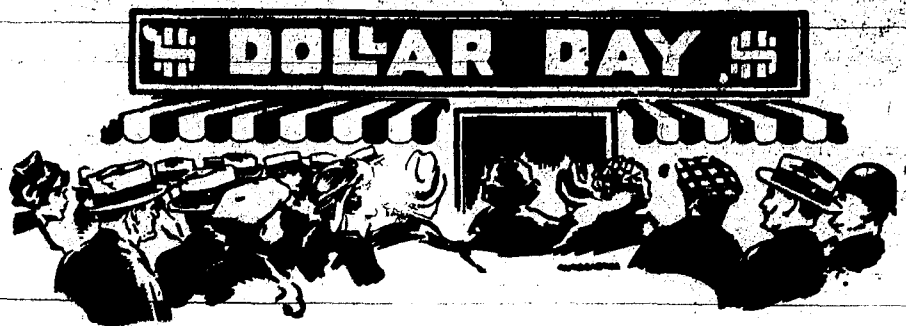
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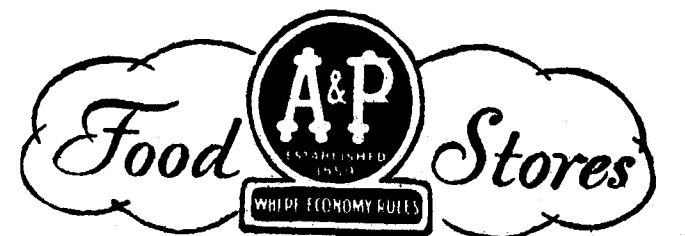
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| 10 No. 2 cans Golden B Corn   | \$1.00 |
| 10 lbs. National Fig Bars     | \$1.00 |
| 8 tall cans Pink Salmon       | \$1.00 |
| 8 large cans Ionia Peaches    | \$1.00 |
| 4 lbs. Maxwell House Coffee   | \$1.00 |
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| 17 rolls Northern Tissue      | 98c    |

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| 8 O'Clock Coffee 1 lb. 17c, 3 lbs. | 49c    |
| 2 large cans Pineapple for         | 35c    |
| Gold Medal Flour 24½ lb. sack      | \$1.23 |
| Pillsbury Flour 24½ lb. sack       | \$1.23 |
| Iona Flour 24½ lb. sack            | 93c    |
| Pancake Flour 5 lb. sack           | 19c    |
| Cheese Wisconsin Full Cream lb.    | 18c    |

**Meat Department**

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| Pure Lard 13 lbs.        | \$1.00 |
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**Redson & Cooley's****NATURAL HISTORY GEMS**

Old-time "natural history" gives us three charming topics for argument in these quaint observations:

1. They say that in the fall, the flying swallows join in ever-diminishing circles, and, all at once, pitch themselves, in one compact body, into a river bed. There they remain during the winter, emerging one by one in the spring!

2. They say that, should you build a circular fire about a scorpion, he will first search for an opening, then retreat to the center (the coolest spot) like a good stoic, and last, losing all hope of survival, he will dash his stingers into his head, thus committing suicide!

3. They say that, when a smart red fox becomes infested with fleas, he takes a stick in his mouth, and walks slowly backward into swamp water. The fleas migrate to his head, along his nose, and upon the stick. Then he drops the stick in the swamp.

These 3 natural history gems, all generally believed 100 years ago may add to your repertoire of parlor conversation.—D. H. W. in Elk Rapids Progress.

**Special**  
Sat. Oct. 281 Picnic Ham  
1 lb. Lard  
1 dozen Eggs } \$1.00**A. S. Burrows****Living Testimony**

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bruce at the Wyoming General Hospital April 21.

Rocket Want Ads Bring Results!—Rocky Springs (Wyo.) paper.

An ideal happy married state is one where the wife goes her way and the husband goes hers.

**Want Ads**

SEWING MACHINE for sale—In good working order, \$4.00. Charles Clifton, 6 miles south of Town on US-27.

GARAGE FOR RENT—For winter, located near Mercy hospital. Inquire at Avalanche office.

WANTED—(about 40 men) to cut jack pine. Inquire at Lovely's Restaurant.

FOR SALE—Second-hand heating stove. Burns wood or soft coal. Inquire at Avalanche office.



## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, October 27, 1910

Mrs. Nellie Mosell of Sigbee is visiting her sister, Mrs. Celia Granger for a few days.

Mrs. Sarah Corwin left yesterday for Reed City, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Dr. Felt for a couple of weeks.

M. A. Bates has secured the services of Allan Moreman to take charge of the mechanical department of the city telephone line, and anticipates entire personal rest from that care as Mr. Moreman is an expert.

D. Riely, general freight and passenger agent for the Manistee and N.E.R.R., was in the village last week looking over the business situation for their line and seemed well pleased with the outlook.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Manney returned last week from a pleasant visit in Bay City and Flint.

Attorneys Alexander and Walton were in attendance at the meeting of the Circuit Court in Gaylord the first of the week.

C. W. Ward of Maple Forest is in Detroit this week overhauling his yacht, with which he will make a tour of the lakes with a party of his friends immediately after election.

We are indebted to Axel Michelson for a double brace of canvasbacks, which came out of a bunch of 72 taken by their little party on Houghton Lake one day the first of the week.

N. P. Olson and John J. Nieder-

er each were offered two hundred dollars for five acres from the adjoining corners of their farms on sections 8-9 last Tuesday, spot cash. The land is cleared and fenced, but no buildings. The gentleman wanted the site for a home. The offer was refused.

Emma Peterson of the eighth grade has returned after a two weeks absence.

### Local News (23 Years Ago)

T. E. Douglas states that he raised 650 bushels of rutabagas on one acre. He sold what he has to spare for 25 cents per bushel on the cars at this place. He realizes \$162.50 for the rutabaga crop. Has 100 bushels of sugar beets, one of these weighed 15 pounds and 6 ounces. This was all one acre of this poor ground that is worth one dollar per acre.

Messrs Perry and Duby have bought about 200 acres east of town and expect to stock the same with sheep and cows.

Messrs Perry and Worst started for their homes Friday. Mr. Ryburn remains on the ranch for the present.

C. F. Underhill returned from New York Friday and expects to clean up about \$50,000 on his last winter's work.

Fred Bloom is doing a good job for C. W. Ward by plowing and pulverizing the ground around the boulevard. We expect to see this seeded to grass when completed.

Department of Conservation, Lansing  
George R. Hogarth, Director

A competitive examination will be held on Saturday, November 4th, at eight o'clock, A. M., Eastern Standard Time, at the High School in Roscommon, for the purpose of selecting four free lance conservation officers to be assigned to the northern half of the Lower Peninsula, and is open to any able bodied bona fide male resident citizen of the State be-

tween the ages of twenty-five and forty-five.  
Department of Conservation.  
10-26-2

### Toll of the Earthquake

When a severe earthquake killed 95 persons; injured 4,911 and destroyed several thousand homes in Southern California last March, the Red Cross was first upon the ground with emergency relief. It required more than three months for the Red Cross to restore the needy to a self-sustaining basis. The organization expended a relief fund of \$411,000.

## SLATS' DIARY

Friday—He got a ticket from a traffic officer again today. It was the same officer who got so mad when he put a pebble about him in the noose paper with a wire at a rate a peace when this man got a job as a Pleeceman and spoke of him as the new Member of the Pleece FARCE.

Saturday—Gladdis Derkle stuck out her tongue at me today when she past me in her fokes new ottomobile while I was delivering a package for Mr. Barnhart witch owns the drug store, & after she had past I wandered if she use to remember when I wood blow her nose for her. But I guess not.

Sunday—I staid for church today and I and Jake got to thinking wat a Pleasant time we cud have if we cud paint Black mustashes on all the wimen in the quire and mebbay a nice 1 on ole Mrs. Gritt witch sets in the a Men corner evry Sunday morning.

Tuesday—Cory Bleat is the oney woman in town witch ever got married by telephone and she hassent saw her husband sence the nite of the wedding and she is beginning to think mebbay she got the rong number perhaps.

Wednesday—Stella Grimm has left a nuther husband and has came home for a few weeks till she can find a nuther 1. she told Ant Emmy her last husband was sent such a bad fello and if it haddent of ben that he used a Quill tooth pick at the table she cud of lived with him at lease for a year if evry thing else had of ben all rite.

Thursday—Ant Emmy had a letter from a ole frend yesterday and Ant Emmys ole frend told her that her husband had just bent to the pennytenshary for life for Buglary. & Today I sen a letter Ant Emmy was writing to her old frend to cheer her up and she started it off saying Cheer up Matty you no Life is Very Short after all.

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## News Review of Current Events the World Over

### Hitler Takes Germany Out of League of Nations and Disarmament Conference—Depositors in Closed Banks to Get 50 Per Cent Payment.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

GERMANY, feeling that it is being treated like a second-class nation, started the world by withdrawing from membership in the League of Nations and from the disarmament conference. At first flush this looked rather like a threat of war in the not distant future, but sober consideration of the facts and conditions dispelled most of the fear that armed conflict was near. In the first place, the German government left the way open for its return to the league and conference if properly conciliated by the other nations. More potent yet, perhaps, is the fact that none of the nations is financially able to support a war at this time. Nor do the people of any of the countries directly involved wish to go to war, unless it may be the always militaristic Prussians of the reich.

Chancellor Hitler, having announced Germany's withdrawal, President Von Hindenburg immediately decreed the dissolution of the reichstag and proclaimed a general parliamentary election for November 12, with a plebiscite at the same time to obtain the nation's approval of the government's decision. All the state parliaments were dissolved and there will be no new state elections, so the power will be centralized in Berlin.

Hitler's speech of appeal to the German people to support his policy was full of ardor and yet was half conciliatory and caused hopes in Great Britain and the United States, if not elsewhere, that the reich might be brought to a reconsideration of its action. The officials of other nations refuse to get excited, and some of them admitted privately that Hitler's protest was justified, but not his methods. The managers of the disarmament conference were naturally disconcerted and decided to adjourn until October 25. Some of them were ready to quit indefinitely, but this move was blocked by Norman H. Davis, the American representative.

A little later Mr. Davis received instructions from the White House and thereupon his position became considerably more detached. In a statement to the press he informed the European nations that America would gladly co-operate in any disarmament negotiations but was "not interested in the political element of any purely European aspect of the picture." In other words, the United States will leave Europe to settle its own quarrels in its own way.

Italian officials rather hoped the disarmament negotiations could be continued with the framework of the four power pact, but France indicated she would not consent to this.

The British cabinet heard a report from Sir John Simon, foreign minister—who had been in violent controversy with Baron Von Neurath, foreign minister of Germany—and was said to be in a conciliatory mood, though there was no indication that it would abandon its attitude of co-operation with France.

Hopes that Germany would come back into the concert of nations by the back door were dashed by Hitler who, in a powerful address, declared:

"Germany is determined in the future to attend no conference, enter no league, agree to no convention, and sign nothing as long as she is not treated equally."

ONE billion dollars will be put into circulation speedily when and if the President's program for the liquidation of closed national and state banks is carried out. The depositors will be paid about 50 per cent of their deposits, the money being loaned to the Reconstruction Finance corporation. To administer the liquidation, a special division of the RFO is set up. Dean Acheson, the several thousands of closed banks, C. B. Merrim, a director of the RFO, is the head of the liquidation board, and the other members are: J. H. Jones, chairman of the board of Reconstruction Finance corporation; D. G. Acheson, undersecretary of the treasury; Lewis W. Douglas, director of the budget; J. F. T. O'Connor, controller of the currency; and Walter J. Cummings, chairman of the Deposit Insurance corporation.

In general, loans to closed banks will be limited to 50 per cent of deposits, thus establishing a 50 per cent maximum for payment to depositors. In some cases, where assets justify, a somewhat larger distribution may be possible, but where assets are not worth 50 per cent of deposits the dividend will be less. In some cases, the White House statement warned, no dividends beyond those already paid will be possible.

The division will make loans to closed banks, taking over their assets as security to the extent of the appraised value of the assets. Thus a closed bank desiring to liquidate will not have to sell its real estate mortgages and other frozen and semi-frozen assets at bankruptcy prices on the open market. Instead, these assets can be held for a market more in line with their real value, while depositors meanwhile receive as large a proportion of their tied-up deposits as they would get if they were forced to wait for the money.

The plan will be applicable only to banks closed after January 1, 1933.

VIOLATORS of the NRA agreement, thousands of whom have been reported, are facing imprisonment and fines, for the President has issued an executive order directing that force and prosecution be resorted to by the recovery administration. He proclaims that those who are false to the blue eagle shall be subjected to fines up to \$500 or imprisonment up to six months or both.

Senator Robert Wagner of New York, head of the national labor board, followed this up with a warning to all industrial groups that heavy fines and jail sentences are provided in the licensing provisions of the recovery act for those who flout the decisions of the board and that these penalties will be enforced when necessary. "There will be no escape," he said, "for the misguided minority who arise to interfere with every constructive program." To organized labor, which seems to many to be seeking solely its own advantage, Wagner said: "The strike should be abandoned as an instrument of first resort. Industry and labor cannot co-operate by means of the strike. Such conflict may determine which of the two contestants is stronger at a given moment, but it is merely accidental if it produces a solution which serves the best interests of both parties and of the NRAers."

WHEN Joseph B. Eastman, federal co-ordinator transportation, announced recently that orders might be placed soon for \$30,000,000 in rails the steel operators were greatly cheered up. But since studying the conditions under which the orders would be placed some of them are not so happy. C. V. McKaig, vice president and general manager of sales company, United States Steel corporation subsidiary, is one of these. He quoted Eastman as saying the order would be placed only if an "expected" reduction in the price of steel materializes.

"Such a reduction is the last thing the operators want," said McKaig. "I think the present 'pegged' price of \$40 a ton is about right. One of the purposes of the NRA is to assure a reasonable return to the manufacturer. From this observation a lower price now would seem to defeat this purpose."

Eastman said the order would put thousands of workers back in the mills. McKaig said the steel manufacturers already have contributed an estimated \$100,000,000 annually to the NRA in the form of increased salaries.

SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE Wallace and George N. Peek, agricultural adjustment administrator, announced that a plan would soon be put in operation for restriction of production of corn and hogs. It involves the distribution of \$350,000,000 to farmers, mainly in the Middle West, and is designed to take 12,500,000 acres of corn land out of production next year, cutting the corn crop 300,000,000 bushels and hog production 25 per cent.

The government will advance the funds necessary for immediate payment of benefits to farmers and will be reimbursed from the proceeds of processing taxes levied on corn and pork.

switches consumption to beef. The administration arranged for the purchase of approximately 1,000,000 bushels of wheat and completed its cotton loan program in moves calculated to provide resistance to recent falling prices of the two commodities. Henry Morgenthau, Jr., governor of the farm credit administration, announced purchase of the wheat at six markets through the Farmers' National Grain corporation for the account of the federal emergency relief administration, which will distribute it to the needy.

The purchase of large quantities of butter for distribution through relief agencies also was announced. Secretary of the Interior Tamm, who is also administrator, undertook the first pegging of prices under the NRA, ordering minimum levels fixed for oil and its products, effective on December 1.

INDUSTRIAL control of trade is now being tried, with cotton textiles as the ground for the experiment, under regulations approved by Administrator Johnson. From now on no man may start a new cotton mill without the approval of Johnson after a committee of cotton men elected to supervise operation of the industry's code has made recommendations. Not only that, but no mill owner may increase his productive machinery without the same approval, recorded in a certificate bearing the industrial administrator's signature.

AN IMMEDIATE embargo on imported medicinal liquors was ordered by President Roosevelt on evidence that such importations had increased sharply in anticipation of prohibition repeal. The President also rejected a proposal to permit importation of beverage liquors in bond pending the date of legal sale.

INVESTIGATION of the federal hospital at Canton, S. D., revealed what Secretary of the Interior Ickes calls "sickening and intolerable" conditions and the confinement of perfectly sane Indians among the insane. Mr. Ickes issued a statement severely condemning local political and commercial interests for preventing the removal of the sane patients by obtaining an injunction from a Canton court and for bringing political pressure to bear on officials of the Indian bureau in Washington. The bureau has sought for several years to close the institution.

Those responsible for securing this injunction presumably are actuated by a desire to save for Canton the revenue that continued operation of the institution there means," Mr. Ickes declared. "They appear to be willing to make a profit out of the degradation of helpless Indians. They do not object to locking up sane human beings in an insane asylum."

Conditions in the institution were revealed by Dr. Samuel A. Silk, medical director of St. Elizabeth's hospital. He conducted an investigation at the request of Secretary Ickes. His report, made public by Mr. Ickes, described the asylum as "filthy, inhuman, and revolting."

NEW MEXICO has a new United States senator in the person of Carl A. Hatch, who has been serving as district judge in Santa Fe. He was appointed by the governor to succeed Samuel G. Bratton.

WITH Florida now on the list, 33 states have voted for repeal of the Eighteenth amendment, and only three more states are needed to put an end to national prohibition. Florida went wet by a vote of approximately 4 to 1.

GOV. ROBERT H. GORE seems to have regained his prestige in Puerto Rico. A coalition majority of union Republicans and Socialists staged a parade and mass meeting in support of the governor's program, and the governor, addressing the crowd, pledged himself to work for the greater happiness and well being of the Puerto Ricans.

Part of the plan for the future, Gore said, contemplates building to prepare to meet conditions twenty years hence when the island, now overcrowded, would be burdened by a population double present figures.

GOVERNMENT forces in Siam were reported to have suppressed the insurrection that was led by a member of the royal family and for a time threatened to upset the existing regime. The rebels who attacked Bangkok were in flight and their leader was among those captured.

YIELDING to the persuasions of concessionaires and business organizations, the management of A Century of Progress in Chicago decided to keep that great exposition open until after Armistice day, so it will not come to an end until midnight, November 12. Railroads arranged to continue their reduced rates, and an exciting and interesting program for the final two weeks was concocted by the fair managers.

## "DUMB-BELL" LAWYERS

An article showing genuine specimens taken from the letter files of big business firms, some of them as funny as anything stage comedians ever created, appears in The American Weekly with next Sunday's Detroit Times.

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

In the matter of the estate of Roy D. Holmberg, late of the Village of Grayling, in said county, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 29th day of September, A. D. 1933, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on or before the 29th day of January, A. D. 1934, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the 29th day of January, A. D. 1934, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated September 25th, A. D. 1933.  
George Sorenson,  
Judge of Probate.

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George Sorenson,  
Judge of Probate. 9-28-4

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling in said county, on the second day of October, A. D. 1933.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James H. Williams, deceased.

Burton Williams, a son of said deceased, having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration and settlement of said estate be granted to Norton Williams of the township of South Branch, in said county, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the sixth day of November, A. D. 1933, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

George Sorenson,  
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GEORGE SORENSON  
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## TROUTING OTTER

(By Ken Quill in Oscoda Press)

NOTE—The following article taken from the Oscoda Press, not only tells about some of the habits of these noted fish destroyers, but also contains a story about "Jimmy the Otter" that at one time meandered the streets of Grayling and was generally considered a friend and also a nuisance to our populace. It's a true story, most of our older residents will agree, and many others are locally related about the exploits of this furry youngster.—Ed.

Esconca, in the early evening, on the AuSable river, between Grayling and Lake Huron. In the stretch of more than 300 miles of meandering water, there are long reaches where there is no other sound than the blend of Nature's voices. The sighing of the wind in the murmuring trees. The babbling of spray and rife in spring and stream. The careening slap of current wavelets on the river's marge. The furtive ground-bush rustlings and first nocturnal calls of the children of the wilds. Soon the diapason of wilderness tones will be disturbed by the "chucking" dive of the "trouting" otter. He is poaching on the angler, packing his distended alimentary creel, without regard for legal limit.

You will hear too the splash of the diving mink for it emulates the otter though the trout it captures are of smaller size, and its plundering is modified by the trapper's activities. You may also hear the diminutive slap of the muskrat's tail, in miniature mimicry of the beaver. You may hear the explosive slap of the beaver's own tail. If you do, it will probably be the pathetic signal of an old male or female "bachelor" beaver, banished as incompetent from some lake or pond lodge, for the big river does not conform to beaver residence requirements.

But the otter's trouting dive will be distinctive in its sound, and it cannot be confused with any other surface displacements on the river. It will be an amplified rendition of the "chuck" made by the flat stone which the urchin throws high and straight up, so that it will "cut-water" on its descent.

The outre de Canada or American otter peculiar to this hemisphere, is much larger than its European cousin. It may measure five feet from tip to tip, if we include its 17-inch tail. Its entire fur is a shining brown when at its prime; very like that of the beaver, but more sleek.

The trouter's guard-hair is almost black in summer, except for the gray blotch beneath the chin, but its winter coat is a rich brown, with the short, worn, guard hairs of the summer months replaced by lustrous filaments for protection of the fine rich under-fur.

Play-boy of the stream, in a nice sense, he varies his trout-catching work with the sport of tobogganing to the water on his bank "slides." The slide will appear as a deep half-circle groove in earth or snow, as if a small saw-log had been slid down end-ways. To the novice, a cross-country otter track on light snow is the impression made by a log that must have been hauled by an aeroplane, for there is little, if any indication of animal feet in the scooped trail.

The otter's principal diet is fish, and its specialty is stream trout. No better determination of its activities could be had than that afforded by observation of the tame otter that promenade Grayling streets for several years in the Nineties.

Jimmy, The Grayling Otter  
"Jimmy" was captured as a pup on one of the Lewiston lakes. He grew up with small-boys and town-dogs as companions. He got so chummy with one big town-bum, Rover, that if a strange dog tackled either, the other would come to his chum's aid. Not that Jimmy needed assistance, for he could dispose of dogs handily on his own. Many a heretofore undefeated fighting dog that could "whip his weight in wildcats" was brought to the AuSable river lumber town to clean up on Jimmy. It took the otter less than five minutes to wreck each touted fighter. They were "dun broke down" thereafter.

Despite his vicious record as a mauler, Jimmy was a likeable fellow, kind and considerate to all home-town dogs and humans. He did get into mischief, like cleaning up the viands of a pre-set hotel fish-supper, and stealing a roast from citizen Hanson's table, but everybody liked him none-the-less for his pranks. One of his stunts was to follow the children to school, furtively climb the teacher's chair to the teacher's desk, and survey the assembly like a presiding officer.

Another stunt of Jimmy's was to entice Rover or some other dog

friend to go for a swim in the river. With Jimmy in his element, the dogs were at a disadvantage in water-revels, and sometimes narrowly escaped drowning when he held them under for extended intervals. Finally, even Rover refused to act as his bathing buddy.

But it was the characteristic stunt that brought him death with which we are concerned—fishing.

As the bird-dog or rabbit-hound fuses at sight of a gun in the hands of man, so Jimmy would display awkward contortions at sight of rod and reel. He would follow the angler to the stream, frolic near his casts and steal his catch from the fly. Many of the anglers tolerated Jimmy's thieving, but a man named Ross, peeved by the loss of a large trout, shot him. Ed. Auger, the otter's owner, had Ross arrested for the killing, but the charge in the warrant was defective, so the only punishment meted for the offense was the resentment of the townsfolk over the murder of their pet.

Jimmy was killed while on duty at his habitual job—taking trout.

While the number of trout anglers on Michigan streams has probably increased two hundred per cent during the past ten years, the number of otters fishing on the AuSable has increased much more. We doubt if there is any half mile of shore line from Mio to Oscoda, more than a hundred miles of stream, that does not display otter signs, daily-made. They are so numerous on the river that they may be observed in established otter-communities, notably at the High-Banks near Oscoda, at the Loud-Lake near the dam, and three miles below the old town-site of McKinley. At the last named location a clay bank, six feet above high water and extending for one hundred yards of shore line, has all the formal appearance of a village. The muddy-clay soil, apparently softened by hidden springs, displays a series of entrances that face the stream like street doors. Similar roof entrance add to the Hopi-Indian-Cliff Dweller aspect of the village.

"Years ago we had lots of otter, and lots of trout, too," said an old timer. "You had lots of trout, and you thought that otter were plenty, because they were legally trapped then, and you saw their pelts marketed often, but there has been no time in forty years past that otter have been so numerous—on the AuSable, at least as now," we replied.

That the otter has increased under protection to an extent that makes him a menace to fish life will be evident to anyone who makes a field investigation. It will be good conservation to establish an open season on them for several years. There is little chance of their extinction.

They have hunted and trapped them for many centuries in Europe and they still have them. They should be reduced in numbers as a protection for trout. Each otter takes more than the angler's legal limit daily; not fingerlings, but the largest trout they can find.

The American otter is not to be confused with the fur-bearing sea-otter, a beaver-like animal once prevalent in the Pacific, with habits like the fur seal—Oscoda Press.

Protected for a long period of years, the otter has become so numerous on the larger Michigan streams that it is now a serious menace to trout-life. It has a penchant for taking the largest trout in the school. It is no asset to the state, under present regulations, for its valuable fur is lost as the aged ones die of senility. An open season for, say two years, would reduce its numbers and be good conservation.

In 1860 the federal government cost the average citizen \$2.08 per year. In 1931 the cost of government was \$107.37 per capita, or 28 per cent of the income of the American people.

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

In the matter of the estate of Severin Jensen late of the Village of Grayling, in said county, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 29th day of September, A. D. 1933, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling in said county, on or before the 29th day of January, A. D. 1934, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the 29th day of January, A. D. 1934, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated September 25th, A. D. 1933.

George Sorenson,  
Judge of Probate.

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Judge of Probate.

9-23-4

## Hatchery Supts. Make Recommendations

Within the next month, district superintendents of Fisheries operations in Michigan will prepare for the Lansing office of the Fish Division of the Conservation Department, their recommendations for the designations of various waters in their sections to fall under one of the 14 classifications provided for by law.

The recommendations of the Division will be submitted to the Conservation Commission at its November meeting for action and the determinations will be included in the digest of Michigan fishing laws to be published during the coming winter.

All persons interested in certain waters and their designation under the law, are being invited by the Department to consult with the fisheries superintendent for their particular district that their viewpoints might be obtained before his recommendations are submitted.

The following designations of lakes and streams are provided for and all of them will be considered.

Trout and non-trout streams. The Department is attempting to obtain a complete list of all trout and non-trout streams in the state.

Trout streams open to hook and line fishing throughout the year. Such waters usually include streams in which there are power dams containing pike, bass and other warm water species in addition to trout.

Closed trout feeder or nursery streams. A few of them may be designated for experimental purposes.

Trout streams open to spearing in season. Such waters where heavy runs of suckers occur in the spring may be designated. Trout streams open to dip netting in season. Such streams may be designated for taking suckers, carp, dogfish and garpike from March 1 to May 15.

Dipping for smelt. Designations must be made of streams where smelt occur to permit dipping.

Carp, cisco and whitefish spearing. Certain lakes may be designated for spearing these species, under license, from October 1 to December 31.

Commercial minnow taking from non-trout streams. Minnows may be taken for commercial purposes from these designated waters.

Artificial lights with spears for taking of carp, redear, mullet, dogfish and garpike may be used from March 1 to May 15 only in designated lakes and streams.

Pike lakes. Lakes in which pike or pike-perch are known to predominate.

Trout lakes. Lakes in which brook trout, brown trout or rainbow trout are the predominating species.

Lakes open to use of set-over nets. Such designated lakes are open to use of set-over nets from March 15 to May 15 for taking suckers.

Mussels. Certain streams or portions of streams may be closed to taking of mussels.

LOVELLS

(By Mrs. C. Nephew)

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Buttler of Detroit visited Mrs. Buttler's father, A. R. Caid a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Boutell of Saginaw enjoyed a few days hunting at their lodge, Sunset Banks.

Miss Ada Munsen and her mother are the guests of Mrs. Wm. Ireland at Lake Shoopack.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurlow Dudd of Marine City, and a party of friends, are enjoying a week at the Dudd cabin.

The Cheerful Givers met at the home of Mrs. Roy Small last Thursday.

William Johnson of Indian River was a caller in Lovells last week.

William B. Mershon and Mr. and Mrs. Billie Mershon of Saginaw spent some time at their camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gregg and sons, Darwin and Forrest, visited relatives in Cadillac. Mr. Gregg's mother accompanied them home, where she expects to visit for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dudy are having a new chimney built.

Clarence Stillwagon cut his thumb quite severely last week.

Lee Kellogg of Frederic is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kellogg.

Abbie Kauffman of Mio was a caller in Lovells last week.

Mr. Albert Thompson of Detroit spent a few days at his cabin on Big Creek.

The Lovells school is all dressed up with a new coat of paint on the inside.

The salesman with a speech impediment finds it hard to sell goods, which is true of the business that suffers the speech impediment known as failure to advertise.

## MOTIVES

By LEONARD A. BARRETT

Only in criminal law does motive determine the punishment for crime. If a murder is premeditated, the penalty is death.

Should it have been committed by accident or without malice aforethought, the penalty may be imprisonment.

When justice demands a penalty for other violations of law the element of motive is not considered.

It has been a long time since Jean Valjean, in Les Misérables, served 19 years as a galley slave in a French prison for stealing a loaf of brown bread. True, he stole the bread, but the motive which impelled the act was the hunger of the seven little children of his widowed sister. That the penalty was unjust goes without question, but how far have we advanced in this respect from the days when Victor Hugo wrote?

In the reconstruction of our social order—and who doubts that it is undergoing a very significant change?—the element of motive is bound to receive more serious consideration. The most dangerous condition in our social order today is the problem of unemployment. This is due to two factors, the impossibility of procuring work by men who honestly seek for it, and the mental attitude of those men who do not care to work even when they have the opportunity.

The latter believe that the government's duty is to provide shelter, food and heat for all persons deprived of these necessities. The element of motive always asks the question, Why? When welfare workers disregard the element of motive and give necessities indiscriminately to whomever applies, it only encourages that dangerous attitude which not only accepts but demands these necessities as the rights of citizenship.

If a man's motive in accepting help is to escape work, there is no moral law which demands that he be assisted.

The element of motive is also vital to our national recovery. Why do we want recovery? The universal answer seems to be, recovery is essential to prosperity. But why prosperity? If our motive in seeking prosperity is that we may again become extravagant and indulgent and repeat the same mistake which brought about the depression, then the return to prosperity might be open to serious question.

When we have a recovery of our moral and spiritual resources along with the recovery of our material values, our prosperity will remain stable and secure and its recovery fully justified.

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Prepared to Save Lives

One of the most valuable services given to the American public by the Red Cross is through its Life Saving and First Aid courses. Virtually all of the life guards at beaches and pools in the nation are Red Cross life savers. Nearly every industry in America supports the First Aid work of the Red Cross because it annually saves lives of thousands of injured persons. These courses are taught by Red Cross experts in both lines. Last year 66,354 certificates were issued to persons completing the First Aid course and 78,795 certificates for completing Life Saving instruction.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the county of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1933.

Present, Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Phebe Owen, nee Kelly, deceased.

Edna Ward, a daughter of said deceased, having filed in said court her petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine the date of death of said deceased, the names of those entitled by survivorship to real estate in which said deceased had an interest as life tenant, joint tenant or tenant by the entirety, and other facts essential to a determination of the rights of the parties interested in said real estate.

It is ordered, that the 19th day of November, A. D. 1933, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford, Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

George Sorenson,  
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.  
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10-26-4

## M-M Delicious Eats For Party On Hallowe'en

"When the frost is on the pumpkin and the fodder's in the shock," let's invite friends over for a dinner party and a good time.

The decorations for the party, of course, will be in keeping with the occasion. Witches, broomsticks, black cats, owls and various eerie creatures may decorate the living room, but when it comes to the dining table, the orange and black color scheme is of utmost importance.

A white linen tablecloth decorated with bands of orange and black crepe paper lends an appropriate atmosphere. For a table centerpiece a hollowed pumpkin filled with ripe fruits is quite in keeping with the Hallowe'en setting.

Hallowe'en Dinner Menu

Older Frappe in Apple Cups  
Roast Pork Loin with Sweet Potato Oranges

Peas in Cream Sauce  
Pineapple and Pear Salad

Golden Glow Pie (Lemon) Coffee  
Roast Pork Loin with Sweet Potato Oranges

1 pork loin  
6 oranges, uniform size

6 sweet potatoes  
6 marshmallows

Butter  
Flour  
Salt  
Pepper

Have a loin of pork prepared at the market with the chine bone sawed loose from the ribs. Wipe the meat with a damp cloth, dredge with flour, and season with salt and pepper. Place it on a rack in an uncovered roasting pan without adding any water. Sear in a hot oven (450 degrees F.) for 15 minutes or until nicely browned. Then quickly reduce the temperature to that of a slow oven (300 degrees F.) and continue roasting until done. This requires about 30 minutes per pound.

Cut a slice off the top of the oranges and scoop out the pulp. Scallop the edges with a sharp knife. Pare and boil sweet potatoes. Mash. Mix with some of the orange pulp, season with salt, pepper and butter. Fill the orange cups with this mixture and place in the oven to heat. Two or three minutes before serving time, remove from the oven, top each orange with a marshmallow and put back in the oven to puff and slightly brown the marshmallows. Serve orange cups around roast pork on a large platter.

Read your home paper. Subscribe for the Avalanche.

Busy Navy Builder

Rear Admiral Emory S. Land, construction corps, U. S. N., chief of the bureau of construction and repair of the Navy department, is a busy man these days as the new building program of the navy gets under way. He has been chief of the bureau for about one year.

View of Alcatraz Island in San Francisco bay that has been transferred from the War department to the Department of Justice and will be used as a prison for desperate gangsters, kidnapers, and other federal convicts. Alcatraz, long used as a military prison, has bluff, rocky shores, is more than a mile from the mainland and such a swirling current surrounds it that escape is virtually impossible.

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by Charles S. Squire

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## DEPT. OF STATE

STATE NEWS BULLETIN

The Department of State in the past few weeks has granted articles of incorporation to five new companies which have been formed for the purpose of borrowing money from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, and then lending the funds to industrial companies.

The new corporations, organized under Michigan laws, will come under new federal laws which allow Reconstruction Finance Corporation funds to be loaned with so-called "slow assets" as security. The new companies are located in Detroit, Grand Rapids, Saginaw and Jackson.

While it is understood generally that there will be a special session of the legislature before Jan. 1, the exact date will not be set until the liquor control committee of the legislative council has completed a tentative bill to be submitted to the solons. At least two weeks longer will be required to draft the bill, members of the sub-committee say.

From testimony given at the committee's hearings, a wide difference of opinion regarding the best proposed method to distribute liquor, is to be found in different parts of the state.

Funeral services were held last week for Burton F. Browne, first director of the gasoline tax division of the Department of State. For many years Mr. Browne was editor of the Harbor Beach newspaper and when Michigan adopted the gasoline tax, he was placed in charge of the work. At the time of his death he was connected with the same division as assistant director. Mr. Browne was 66 at the time of his death, which followed an illness of 10 days.

DEER HUNTING LICENSES ON SALE NOV. 1ST

Deer hunting licenses for the 1933 season will be placed on sale by Conservation Department license agents November 1, 15 days prior to the opening of the season.

The fee for the resident deer license this year has been dropped from \$3.50 to \$2.25 and the cost of the non-resident license has dropped from \$50 to \$25. The fee for a camp deer license is \$3.00.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Through deepening and improving harbors, Japan has provided strategic bases in islands formerly owned by Germany, and over which Japan has held a mandate from the League of Nations. Although withdrawing from the League, it is Japan's intentions to keep the islands.

The Germans are stationing a floating air base in the southern Atlantic to enable them to establish a regular air service between Europe and South America.

An announcement by the Westinghouse Electric Company says that a discovery has been made that enables photographs to be taken in the dark, without the usual blinding flash of light. It seems this could be used for military purposes, especially if it could be combined with television.

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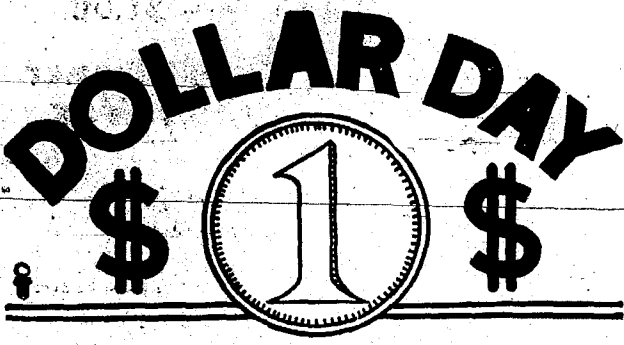
**Help Us Out and Help Yourself**

## Dollar Day Special

Saturday, October 28th

7 lbs. Pure Lard and  
2 lbs. White House Coffee **\$1**

**Connine Grocery**



Any pair of shoes on our bargain rack for

**\$1.00**

formerly \$3.00 to \$5.00 values

\$1.00 pair of silk hose free with each pair of Women's Slippers at \$3.95 and up

\$1.00 discount on all Enna Jettick and Wilbur Coon Slippers

59 cent pair of Women's Hose free with each pair of Slippers under \$3.95

One pair of Stockings free with each pair of Children's Shoes.

One pair of Wool Sox free with each pair of Children's High-tops

One dollar's worth of silk or wool sox free with each pair of Men's \$5.00 or up Shoes, Oxfords or Hightops

**Olson's Shoe Store**



25 lbs. Bread Flour.....\$1.00  
12 lbs. Lard.....\$1.00  
4 lbs. Coffee.....\$1.00  
3 boxes Soap Powder, 10 lbs. Chips....\$1.00  
4 15c Cereals, 5 10c Cereals.....\$1.00  
29 Bars Laundry Soap.....\$1.00  
2 bars soap FREE with all other purchases of \$1.00 or more

**Cash & Carry**

M. Hartley, Prop.

**12 (1-qt.) Milk Tickets for \$1.00**

**Dollar Day Chas. Corwin**

Tuesday, October 26, 1933

George Burns in Detroit on business.

The Eastern Star will continue their rummage sale in the Trudeau building next Saturday.

Misses Agnes and Ann Hanson left yesterday afternoon to spend several days in Detroit.

Dollar Day in Grayling next Saturday. Bargains await you in nearly every line of merchandise.

Special for Friday and Saturday, at Betty Mae Beauty Shoppe, Marcel 35c; fingerwave 35c; shampoo and fingerwave 65c.

Benj. Jerome returned to his home in East Lansing Wednesday, after having spent some time at his cabin on Twin Lakes, hunting.

**DOLLAR DAY—SAT. OCT. 28.**

Now is the time to put in your winter apples—Spies, Banana and other varieties. A. E. Wendt, next to A.&P. store.

Marius Hanson of Lansing joined Mrs. Hanson here Tuesday to visit their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Poor will spend this coming week end at Olivet College, attending the homecoming of their Alma Mater, and the dedication of the new dormitory for women.

Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Hathaway returned to their home in Lake Orion Tuesday after having spent a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Clark. The Doctor enjoyed bird hunting while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Reynolds entertained a few friends at their home Tuesday evening. Two tables of pinochle were enjoyed, after which a delightful lunch was served.

Mrs. Louis Lavigno and daughters Florence and Gertrude and son Louis of Detroit, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wendt, the latter whom has been quite ill for some time.

The regular meeting of the Ladies Aid society of Michelson Memorial church will be a potluck at 12:30 o'clock on Friday, Nov. 3, at the home of Mrs. Emil Giegling. Please bring your own dishes.

Mrs. B. J. Callahan and Mrs. Thomas Caniff entertained their division of St. Mary's card clubs Tuesday evening. There were four tables and Mrs. Emil Kraus won the "500" prize and Mrs. Claude Cardinal the pinochle prize. It was a very pleasant party.

The Northern unit of Maple Forest Welfare met at Mrs. Robert Feldhauser's last Wednesday. The time was spent making quilt blocks and tying two quilts, one of which was sold to one of the members. A pot luck lunch was served at noon.

Charles Webb, who was injured in an auto accident about three weeks ago, was dismissed from Mercy Hospital last week and is recovering nicely from his injuries, not sufficient however to resume his duties as health officer for the Children's Fund.

Lieut. Wood of CCC Camp No. 672 will give a brief address before the high school Friday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock sharp on the Navy, the occasion being national Navy day. Lt. Wood is a medical officer in the U. S. navy. The public is invited to be present.

Don't overlook the Dollar Day bargains that are being offered by our merchants for Saturday. Every item listed is a genuine bargain. Read every advertisement, or you may miss the very thing you want.

Col. R. E. Cummins, who was District Commander of six Civilian Conservation camps in this area has been ordered back to Detroit, after he and Mrs. Cummins had moved their household furniture here and were settled for the winter. To take his place is Major Diaz.

Representatives of the various organizations of the county interested in child health are meeting at the American Legion hall this afternoon to listen to Miss Ruth McIntyre, R.N., sent out by the American Legion. Refreshments will be served by the Auxiliary.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schaible and family enjoyed a visit from Saturday to Tuesday from Mrs. Schaible's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fletcher and granddaughter Audree Hewitt of Lansing, and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hewitt and son Fletcher of Detroit. The party drove in unexpectedly Saturday morning.

Sheriff Frank Bennett apprehended three men for stealing potatoes from farmers in Kalkaska, Sunday, at the request of Sheriff Tallman of Kalkaska. The men were Ross Barber, Elias Barney and William DePong. It is reported that they stole 55 bushels of potatoes and peddled them in Grayling Friday and Saturday. When arrested, a portion of the potatoes were recovered. The men were taken back to Kalkaska Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Hanson who is a patient in Mercy Hospital, is doing nicely.

Tuesday evening, Oct. 25, there will be a Halloween dance at Spike's Beer Garden.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McNeven and Mrs. Ernest Olson spent Tuesday in Traverse City.

The Eastern Star will continue their rummage sale in the Trudeau building next Saturday.

Spike's Beer Garden will be the center of a good time on Halloween night, Tuesday, Oct. 31.

Masquerade dance at Hayloft, Saturday night. Prizes offered for the best and most comical costumes.

Repair work and wrecker service, on all cars. Near corner of Lake and Park St. Phone 109M, Vern Burkhardt. 10-28-1

Everyone is invited to the Halloween party at Spike's Beer Garden, to be held Tuesday evening, Oct. 31.

Mrs. Fred Tatro is enjoying a few days visit from her mother, Mrs. Margaret McDonald of Kawkawlin, who is 81 years old.

Capt. John Stubler, from CCC camp 672, left Wednesday for Chicago, Ill., having finished his work at the camp.

Supt. and Mrs. R. R. Burns and daughter Corrine spent this week in Chicago attending A Century of Progress.

Dance at the Lyric dance hall on west side of Higgins Lake, Saturday night, Oct. 28. Everybody invited. Gents 35c; ladies 15c.

Holger Schmidt submitted to an operation at Mercy Hospital Saturday morning. His friends will be glad to know that he is getting along nicely.

H. G. Hockman of Cheboygan, district engineer of the northern division of the Michigan Public Service Company was in Grayling on business yesterday.

Dr. Stanley Stealy, who has been a patient at Blodgett Hospital in Grand Rapids for the past few weeks, arrived today and is at Mercy Hospital here.

Willard Cornell refereed a football game at Boyne City last Saturday between the High school of that place and Charlevoix, the latter winning 7 to 6. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Poor.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Short, Mrs. Frank Letson and Mrs. Albert Galloway called at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Milow Case and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Galloway on their way from Petoskey where they had been visiting Mr. Short's parents.

Mrs. Lillian Sparkes and Paul Ziebell have been appointed to serve on the local Federal Emergency Relief Commission as County investigators. They were appointed by the local board composed of Alfred Hanson, chairman, Jappe Smith and John Surday and began their duties Monday.

Local members of the W. B. A. met at the home of Mrs. L. J. Martin last evening to listen to Mrs. Ethel Hayford, state field director of the organization. Matters pertaining to the lodge and to the national convention which is to be held in Cleveland were discussed. Pot luck lunch was enjoyed.

Excursion rates on the Michigan Central railroad are making it possible for many people to take in the World's Exposition in Chicago. The Century of Progress has been extended to November 12th and anyone wishing to go should read the M. C. advertisement in this issue. The Fair was to close on Oct. 31, but it will not close now until November 12.

Jimmy Post carried off the honors for the second consecutive year in the second annual billiard tournament that was staged last week at the Grayling Recreation parlor, operated by Orel Levan. The tournament began Tuesday night and closed Thursday night, Post playing Ernie Olson in the finals to win 100 to 88. There were twelve contestants in all.

Mrs. Liland Smock entertained her card club last evening with two extra tables at the James Reynolds home. Mrs. Jess Green, Mrs. George Botway, Mrs. Mert McClure and Mrs. George Collins of Roscommon came for the party and Mrs. Collins held high score for the visitors and Mrs. Hazel McClellan for the club. Consolation went to Mrs. Don Reynolds and Mrs. Harry Reynolds. A delicious lunch was served.

Mrs. Emil Golnick, who was murdered in Roscommon last Thursday was formerly Eva Keatenholts, a sister of Sam Keatenholts, who at one time operated a barber shop in Grayling. She had taught school in the Beaver Creek school at one time and the family were frequent visitors in Grayling. The funeral was held Sunday and several from here were in attendance. The deceased is survived by her husband and one daughter Edith Mae, age 14.



Ladies Chardonized Rayon Hose, Lace tops. 3 pairs \$1.00

Ladies Pure Silk Fashioned Hose 2 pairs \$1.00

Best quality Percales—fast colors 5 yds. \$1.00

Children's School Hose—black and colors, all sizes. 6 pairs \$1.00

Hope Bleached Cotton—36 in. 8 yds. \$1.00

Silk Pillows, kapok filled—\$1.00

Men's and Boy's Turtle Neck Sweaters—2 for \$1.00

36-in. Unbleached Cotton 10 yds.—\$1.00

Men's Flannel Gowns and Pajamas—\$1.00

Ladies and Misses House Dresses 2 for \$1.00

Men's Fleece Unionsuits—\$1.00

Men's "Monkey Skin" Gloves 6 pairs—\$1.00

**More "Good Buys" for Dollar Day—**

70x80 Double Fancy Plaid Blankets.....\$2.95

Boys Sheep lined Leatherette Coats.....\$2.98

27 inch Dark Outings yd.....10c

Get our prices on rubbers before you buy. You will Save!

**Grayling Mercantile Co.**  
The Quality Store Phone 125



There will be a good time for all at the Halloween party to be given at Spike's Beer Garden Tuesday, Oct. 31.

For \$ Day, Wendt offers a bushel of Spies and a bushel of Mackintosh apples for \$1.00. Next to A.&P. store.

All day Friday, and Saturday night from 8 o'clock until 12:00, fish will be served with all the fixings at Paddy's Grill. The fish will be perch fresh from Lake Superior. Oysters any style will be served if you prefer them.

Word has been received that Sidney Claggett, former resident of Grayling, died at his home in Maumee, Ohio. Mr. Claggett came to Grayling in his youth and lived here for about 25 or 30 years. When Mr. Claggett first came here he worked in the general store of J. Maurice Finn, which was located in the building occupied at present by the Emil Kraus store. Later this business was sold to the Michelson & Hanson Lumber Co., of Lewiston, and Mr. Claggett then established a general store of his own in the building next door. At this time he married Miss Edith Jordan, who bore him four children.

The Village Council is presenting to the people of Grayling a resume of its plans for the proposed new waterworks system, the adoption of which will be before the voters of Grayling next Monday, October 30th. It appears on the first page of this edition of the Avalanche. Every voter interested should give this article careful reading. All persons who are regularly registered to vote in our village elections will be privileged to vote on this question. The election will be held at the Town hall and the polls will be open from 7:00 o'clock a. m. until 8:00 p. m. Voters should thoroughly familiarize themselves on the question so that they may vote upon this important subject with understanding.

**TYPOGRAPHICAL ERRORS**

Thus Folklore Begins  
Abraham Lincoln was born in a house which he helped his father to build.—Rochester Paper.

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**Fried Perch**  
Friday and Saturday

Come in and enjoy a fine Perch Dinner or Lunch. Fresh from Lake Superior and fried as only our Chef can fry them, they are delicious. On the menu all day Friday and to midnight Saturday

**Also Fresh Oysters—any style**

**Paddy's Grill**

**Floor Clippings**

Special During October

Large Load.....\$5.50  
Small Load.....\$3.50

\$1.00 extra for delivery at Lake Margrethe.



**Kerry & Hanson Flooring Company**





### Dollar Day Specials

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|--|--------|
| All \$1.50 Stationery for.....                       | \$1.00 |
| All \$1.00 Stationery, 2 for.....                    | \$1.00 |
| \$1.50 Hot Water Bottles.....                        | \$1.00 |
| \$1.50 Flashlights.....                              | \$1.00 |
| \$2.00 Fountain Pens.....                            | \$1.00 |
| 3 Bottles Rubbing Alcohol (Pts., \$1.50 value).....  | \$1.00 |
| \$1.50 Body Powder.....                              | \$1.00 |
| \$1.50 Fountain Syringe.....                         | \$1.00 |
| 3 Boxes Face Powder (\$1.50 value).....              | \$1.00 |
| 3 Jars Face Cream (\$1.50 value).....                | \$1.00 |
| Astringent, 75c size, 2 for.....                     | \$1.00 |
| Bath Crystals, 5 lb. bag. Reg. 50c value, 3 for..... | \$1.00 |

**Mac & Gidley** Rexall Store

Samuel Watson, of Milwaukee, was in Grayling on business with John Brown several days this week.

Patty McKay and Wm. Neal returned Tuesday from Saginaw where they had accompanied the former's aunt, Mrs. Sarah Milnes.

Miss Shirley McNeven and Miss Beatrice Freeman, teachers, spent the week end at their respective homes in Bay City, and Gaytown, Mich.

Mrs. O. W. Hanson and daughter Ella, were in St. Helens Thursday of last week, visiting Mr. Hanson who was at his hunting lodge there.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mickelson and daughter, Miss Frances, have closed their summer home on Lake Margrethe, and returned to their home in Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Moore, accompanied by their guest Mrs. Cora Height, of Toledo, Ohio, spent the week end in Kalkaska, visiting at the home of Vern Clark.

Ray Liphard of Midland was in Grayling Sunday visiting relatives, and was accompanied home by his sister Mrs. Ethel Larson, who will remain in Midland indefinitely.

Mrs. Peter Larson left Wednesday for Waukegan, Ill., and Kenosha, Wis., to spend a couple of weeks. At the latter place she will visit her brother, Albert Mickelson, who is ill.

Mrs. O. W. Hanson, accompanied by her daughter Ella, and her mother, Mrs. Ella Wallace, left for Detroit last week Friday due to the illness of Mrs. Hanson's sister, Mrs. Walker Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Trudeau and daughter Guinevere, Mrs. Gale Clise and Mrs. John Kellogg spent the week end in St. Johns visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fehr, who are visiting relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cliff spent the week end in Lansing at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marius Hanson. They were accompanied on their return by Mrs. Hanson, who is spending the week here.

Carl Tahvonen, who is constructing one of the famous airlock log houses for a party in Flint, was home for the week end visiting his family. Air-Log logs are made by the National-Log Construction company of Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McNeven spent Thursday in Bay City. They had accompanied their daughter Gloria, and the former's mother, Mrs. Wm. McNeven and daughter Nadine, who went on to Chicago to attend A Century of Progress. In Bay City they were joined by some of the Peter McNeven family, who also took in the Exposition.

#### MISS BETTY WELSH SELECTED IN COLLEGE CHOIR

Miss Betty Jane Welsh, graduate of Grayling High School and Sophomore at Alma College this year has recently been selected by Prof. J. W. Ewer as one of the new members of the A Capella Choir of Alma College. Miss Welsh was selected along with sixteen other Alma students after extensive tryouts in which a large number participated. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Welsh of Grayling.

The A Capella choir is a comparatively new organization on the Alma College campus. It is an outgrowth of the combination of the men's and women's glee clubs three years ago by Prof. Ewer. The choir plans an extensive program for the year, and will probably sing in Saginaw, Bay City, Grand Rapids and Lansing as well as in local churches.

Drop in and see what  
We have to offer for

**\$ DAY**

Saturday, Oct. 28

**Grayling  
Jewelry Shoppe**  
F. J. Mills, Prop.

### Dollar Day Bargains

—AT THE—  
**Economy Store**  
Next to Mac & Gidley's  
**B. A. Cooley**

# Our Dollar Day

## Means More For Your Dollar

Listed below are a few of our Dollar Day Specials.  
Call at our Store and see the many others offered on this Sale.

Your choice of  
24x36 or 24x48  
**Chenille Rugs**  
**\$1.00 each**

One only  
Walnut finish  
**End Table**  
\$2.65 value  
**\$1.00**

**Teapots**  
\$1.65 to \$2.50 values  
**\$1.00 each**

Tan or Green  
**Window Shades**  
up to 36 in wide, cut to fit  
2 for **\$1.00**

Extra heavy  
**Cocoa Matts**  
**\$1.00**

Your choice of many beautiful pieces of  
**Glass and  
Chinaware**  
**\$1.00**

Combination of  
**1 Dust Mop  
1 Wet Mop**  
\$1.65 value  
per set **\$1.00**

1 can **Auto Cleaner**  
1 can **Auto Wax**  
\$1.50 value  
**\$1.00**

1 pkg. **Dicadoo Paint Cleaner**  
1 pkg **Kleen a Brush**  
3 cans **Electric Wall Cleaner**  
1 can **Samaline Cleaner**  
1 Bottle **Furniture Polish**  
**\$1.00**

## Sorensens' Furniture Store

### SCHOOL NOTES

The Senior class is making arrangements for a Halloween dance party on Tuesday, Oct. 31. All members of the high school are invited. The purpose of the party is to help raise money to finance them through the year. The orchestra has not yet been chosen but the class promises to have good music.

The Honor Roll, which is composed of pupils having marks of B's or higher for this six weeks, is as follows:

7th Grade  
Audrey Bradow—4B.  
Edwin Martin—4B.  
John Mathews—3A, 1B.  
Emil Tahvonen—2A, 2B.  
8th Grade  
Corrine Burns—4A.  
Virginia Charron—1A, 3B.  
Beatrice Peterson—4A.  
Jerrine Peterson—4A.  
9th Grade  
Mary Gretchen Connine—4A, 1B.  
Elsie LaMotte—4B.  
Mary Montour—4B.  
11th Grade  
Eileen Ferguson—2A.  
Jean Peterson—3A, 1B.  
12th Grade  
Wanda Cardinal—1A, 3B.  
Matilda Engel—4A.  
Virginia Engel—3A, 1B.  
Lucille Hulme—1A, 3B.  
Emil Kraus—2A, 3B.  
Post Graduates  
Dorothy Roberts—1A, 2B.  
Gail Welsh—1A, 1B.

The exams schedule was somewhat different this year than it has been before. We used to have morning class tests on Thursday and afternoon class tests on Friday. We were to have exams on Thursday and Friday this year, the same as before except we would have first, fourth, fifth, and last hour tests Thursday, and second, third, sixth, and seventh hour tests Friday. The teachers institute changed this. The whole schedule was set ahead a day, making Thursday instead of Friday the deadline for the preparing of material.

The Debate club held its fourth meeting Tuesday night. The meeting was opened by the president, Clara Atkinson. Roll call and the minutes of the last meeting were

read by the secretary, Alex Kochanowski.

DeAlton Griffith, a member, gave a talk on the meaning of the Club's constitution, which was interesting as well as instructive. A debate was staged on the topic: Resolved: "Germany is justified in withdrawing from the League of Nations." On the affirmative side were Francis May, Alex Kochanowski and Beverly Schaible. The negative side, which was somewhat hampered by the absence of one of their members, were Elaine McDonnell, and Don Charron. Mr. Poor and Emil Kraus acted as judges and a decision in favor of the affirmative side was rendered.

Later in the evening Mr. Poor gave a talk on the Cane Country of Kentucky. This talk was made more interesting by the literature concerning the country which he presented.

Further business was discussed and the meeting adjourned at 8:45.

### Little Deer Cover Destroyed By Fires

The Field Administration Division of the Department of Conservation estimated today that between 125,000 and 150,000 acres have been burned over through forest fires in Michigan so far this year. The estimate was considered as "very conservative."

More than half of the damage occurred during the early weeks of September when exceptionally dry weather and a heavy wind combined to create the most serious situation the forest fire organization has encountered since the drought season of 1930.

The period of extreme danger is believed to be about over, with the advent of the fall rains. Dependent upon the conditions during the rest of the season, fire wardens and towermen will be released from their duties between October 15 and November 1.

Since the great outbreak of fires in early September the fire organization headquarters at Lansing has received daily inquiries from deer hunters as to whether the areas in which they were accustomed to hunt had been destroyed by the flames.

The Division is replying that the two large damaged areas occurred in the vicinity of Lovells in Crawford County and in the western end of the upper peninsula. While practically no deer cover was destroyed in the Lovells area, it was said, some cover was burned over in the upper peninsula. However, since over a



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### News Briefs

Mrs. Howard Smith is on the sick list this week.

Raymond Craig spent the week end visiting in Birmingham.

Marius Hanson spent last week end here from Ferris Institute.

Mrs. Frank LaMotte is confined to her bed at home with illness.

E. V. Smith, the piano tuner, and his wife were in town this week.

Holger Peterson was in St. Ignace Monday and Wednesday on business.

Lieut. and Mrs. Robert W. Bowles were in town over the week end.

Emory Craft and family visited relatives of the former in Rose City Sunday.

Miss Frances Mickelson spent the week end in Traverse City, visiting friends.

Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Keyport spent last Friday in Bay City visiting relatives.

John Bruun will leave next Saturday for Chicago to attend a Century of Progress.

Mrs. Cora Height of Toledo, Ohio, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Moore.

Francis and Walter Warner were in Kalkaska the first of the week prospecting for gravel.

Stanley Stephan, who is attending Ferris Institute, was at home for over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Quigley and niece, Miss Lura Ensign, left Saturday to spend the week in Flint.

George Miller Jr. has arrived from Flint to spend a month with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wend of Bay City visited the former's brother, George Wend, and family Sunday.

Miss Isa Granger visited at the home of her brother, George Granger, in Lansing over the week end.

Miss Lucilda Collins is in Detroit where she is taking up a Beauty Culture course at the Delmar School.

R. C. Shepler of Lansing and John Dunham of Menominee are making a complete audit of the county this week.

Leo Schram and Alfred Hanson, delegates to the Democratic convention, left today for Saginaw to attend the convention.

Mrs. Clyde Peterson has returned to her duties at the offices of Drs. Keyport and Clippert, after enjoying a week's vacation.

Bud SanCarter accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pentrack on their return to Detroit Sunday, where he will spend the week.

Miss Agda Johnson spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Algot Johnson, returning to Ferris Institute Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward King accompanied by the latter's mother, Mrs. George Miller, left Saturday to spend several days in Flint.

Mrs. Margaret Harvey arrived Saturday from Battle Creek to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woodbury and daughter Mary Lou of Bay City visited at the home of Mrs. Clara McLeod over Sunday.